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"CIGARS FOR TWO;" Or, Curing a Smoker.

CHAPTER I. "Smokes, does he? The abominable wretch!" exclaimed Mrs Volant to her friend, Mrs. Washburn, a young wife who had just gone to housekeeping.

No. 250, with the improvement, which is a small "He smokes, but he is not an abominable wretch-I am sure he is not," replied Mrs. Washburn, a little startled by the hard name The above described property is handsomely located and improving very rapidly in value.

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and esteemed. "Not a wretch?" " No. I'm sure he is not!"

"Yes, he is; any husband, especially one who has been married only a year, and won leave off smoking when his wife desires it. must be a wretch. " No, you overstate the case. He is every

voted, so indulgent. But then I do wish he would not smoke. "You must break him of it-the cruel mon-

thing a husband ought to be-so kind, so de-

"Nay, do not call him such hard names : love him with all my heart, though he does

Foolish !" "Yes; he sees, I dare say, that you love

him, and he takes the advantage of you." "Why, Mrs. Volant, don't you love your husband? "Well, suppose I de: there is no need of telling him of it. I make him think I don't

him as easily as I could a kitten." "I don't like that; I think there ought to b love and confidence between man and wife.

care anything about him. Why I can manage

"You cannot be happy with him." "I should not be if I became his slave." " Not his slave "

"Don't you believe it. When you have been married as long as I have, you will get rid of some of these sentimental notions, which answer very well for the first year or so, but become very inconvenient after that."

husband as much as I do now, even if it is sentimental. "See if you do! Husbands must be carefully managed, or they become tyrants. Now, my husband smoked the first year after our

about bringing his eigar into the house, for I told him, up and down, I wouldn't have it.' "I should suppose he would have rebelled." "He did, but not at first. One night near ly a year after we were married, he brought home a whole bundle of cigars, and put them on the mantle-piece. Taking one, he very

coolly lighted it, and proceeded to read the evening paper." "That is just the way my husband does." " I was downright mad at his impudence; but I did not say a word. The next day bought a monstrous great snuff box, and filled it full of rappee. In the evening he lit his cigar as before; but no sooner had he done

so, than I seated myself opposite to him, and drawing out my snuff box, I took a generous at the risk of sneezing my head off "How funny." "My husband did not think so. He looked at me with astonishment 'You take snuff?'

matter for a long time, and at last he gave up extract: the point, and promised to throw away his cigars, if I would throw away my snuff." "And he never smoked any more?"-asked

Mrs. Washburn, laughing. "Yes, he began once after; but I took to

snuff again, and he gave it up." "Are you sure he don't smoke now?"

"If he does, he never lets me see him; my sitting room is not all smoked up as yours is.' "It was a glorious trick!"

"That it was, and I advise you to try it upon Mr. Washburn "

"I! I couldn't take a pinch of snuff any more than I could swallow an elephant." "Smoke, then. There are some nice little cigars sold at the apothecary's, made on purpose for ladies. They are so mild that they

"It seems too bad to play such a trick upon him-he is always so kind, and permits me to do just as I please," said the tender-hearted

Mrs Washburn "What else could he do?"

"It looks kind of mean to me."

" Not a bit."

"Nonsense! I am sure it would. He never would let you smoke, for these husbands have an awful horror of any impropriety in their

"Then, he says he has always smoked, and can't leave it off."

"Pshaw! The old story." " I am almost tempted to try it."

"I would."

burn. When you have been married-" The remark was broken off by the abrupt entrance of the "abominable wretch" himself.

Mrs. Washburn rose as he entered, and in spite of the abominable odor that his breath tobacco-stained lips. The lady "who had been married several

years' was disgusted, and after a few remarks concerning the weather, took her leave. CHAPTER II.

ne was a model wife; none of your stormy vixens, that set their hearts upon attaining a point, and will pull the house down upon your head but they will attain it. In her eye, Mr. Washburn had only one

fault; and that was the villainous habit of smoking, which all her eloquence had been powerless to overcome. She didn't "put her foot down," as her friend, Mrs. Volant had done; for-poor, gentle hearted creature-she couldn't think of provoking a quarrel with him, and had about concluded to make the best of it, and let him smoke in peace. But there was something so irresistably

funny about Mrs Volant's plan, that she determined to try it, and accordingly, on the afternoon of the next day, she sent the Irish girl to the apothecary's shop for a bunch of "Bagdad cigars" Disposing a few of them in her work basket, ready for the momentous occasion, her mind pictured the scene that would ensue when she should light one of them. It was so funny that she laughed out loud at the idea. Wouldn't he be surprised to see her, who had teased him so much to leave off smoking, commence the practice herself! Wouldn't his eyes stick out, when he should see her puffing a cigar at her sewing, as he did when he read the evening paper! CONCLUSION TO-MORROW.

"The following dialogue lately took lace in a Grammar school :- Master .-Which way is New Jersey the longest ?" Pupil .- "Lengthways, sir!" Master - "You are a bright boy and deserve a leather medal." In the vicinity of Cape Horn, there is

that they cut their hair with a saw, and extract their teeth with a crowbar. A lazy fellow down South spells TenTHE LADY IN GREY SILK

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"What are you about, Judge?" asked Mr. Q , without raising from his seat Why don't you see yonder? There's a lady waving a white handkerchief, and I'm

returning the salute-some acquaintance I

made formerly, I suppose." Judge P. ceased, but in a few moments he again looked out and resumed the operation with his cambric

"Who is she, Judge?" asked Mr. Q , as he lounged in one corner of the car, with his nether extremities curled up like a gigantic Z. "Well, the fact is, I don't exactly know; I'm quite near sighted, and can't recognize her; but she is dressed in grey silk, and stands yonder, under a big maple tree near

my friend John B.'s house. By and by the locomotive gave a snort, and the train began to move. Judge Pollock again flirted his cambric to the lady, in a final salute, and this time Jim Quiggle thought he would have a peep at her So he crossed over to the Judge, and poking out his head tock a view, but didn't see the lady. Nevertheless, the Judge kept on waving his handkerchief, the perspiration rolling down his face with the effort.

said Mr. Q., after scanning the landscape, without observing any female. "There!" was the rather petulent reply; don't you see that lady in the grey silk

"Where is she? I don't see anybody,"

dress, standing under the maple tree, waving white handkerchief There was a suppressed snorting sound, and Jim Quiggle rolled over on to the seat, red in

the face as a boiled lobster, while your cor respondent picked him up in a state of violent parexysm of laughter, and laid him out upon the seat. After sacrificing all the buttons on his vest and waistbands, he explained to the Judge the occasion of the cachinnatory spasm. The Judge had been exchanging salutes for twenty minutes with an iron-grey mare, whose long white tail, as it flapped away the flies, had been taken by him for a white handkerchief waved by a lady in a grey silk dress! The Judge didn't swear, but he changed the subject to saw mills, the only portion of which was intelligible being the frequent repetition of the word "dam." LIEBIG AGAINST MATERIALISM .- At a time

when there are so many half way men of pinch, snuffing the filthy stuff into my nostrils | science, such as Atkinson, Elliotson, and a number of the French school, who profess to find in their researches that there is no such thing as an immortal soul, it is pleasant to see a man of Professor Liebig's superior attainsaid he. 'I do; at least, I mean to learn,' I ments arrive at very opposite conclusions. A replied. 'It is a filthy habit,' says he. 'No letter from Munich appears in the "Allegemine worse than smoking,' says I. We debated the Zeitung," from which we make the following

> numerous and select audience. He availed himself of this occasion to declare, from his position as chemist and naturalist, his opposition to the widely spread views of Moleschott, Vogt, Buchner, and others of the most rugged materialism. He pronounced himself with dignity and energy against the "deniers of mind and vital power," and illustrated and combatted, from his profound conviction, their erroneous theories on pure scientific grounds. He showed how impossible it is to explain on chemical principles the existence of even the lowest connecting parts of an organism, of a cell or muscular fibre-and how much more so to account for the mysterious process of life and thinking !- by a change of matter. He demonstrated how unable those materialists of the late school were to distinguish organic combinations from those (combinations) purely chemical. Nothing, he said, was more absurd than to derive the process of thinking and willing from a phosphorescence of the brain, as Moleschott had done How much more of thinking stuff, then, (material of thinking,) would there be contained in bones, which have four hundred times more phosphorus than the brain?

to blish this discourse in a continuation of his "Chemical Letters" we decline to give here the course of ideas of the celebrated inquirer, and will merely remark that the effect of his discourse, supported by the peculiar clearness, calmness and gracefulness of his delivery, was most powerful. The decison of a high scientific authority produces generally a deeper and more lasting conviction on the public than the wavering judgment of the individual mind on a question so difficult and intricate, and on which so much has been written in favor of it and against it. We know, next to Alexander Humboldt, no German savant whose name on the two hemismust have exhaled, printed a kiss upon his pheres sounds better, and whose decision is more imposing, than that of the great chemist whom we pride ourselves in calling our own.

Sweet Music.-An Englishman met an

was bound up with her husband, as well it just landed a lot of pigs from Iroland, and at might be; for never was a husband more de- | whose expense he wished to have a joke, "I

"An, sure you don't know whether they are Irish or English pigs."

Ireland; I'm quite sure they're Irish."

"An' how do you know it?" "I know it by their accent."

"An' did you hear the pigs spake, then?"
"No I didn't, but I heard them grunt!" "Och, then." said Pat, taking off his hat and holding his hair with one hand, and bowing and scraping his foot at the same time. "an' sure it s yourself must have had a great

For consolation the Englishman resorted to a beef steak, and a mug of half-and-half.

has been tried at Weimar, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment It was developed on the trial that no less than 414 manuscripts had been sold by him, and of these but six were genuine. Being asked by the court how he came in possession of so large a number of autographs, he said that his father had for a number of years been collecting them, and that he had devoted fourteen long years to the same business. To the question how they came in his hands, he gave the names of three persons: a certain Miss Nets, who had been for some time housekeeper in the house of Schiller, a trader of old books from Jena by the name of Rottek, and that of a former servant at the library of Weimar, Remhild. Two of these prsons are dead, and the third,

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Auction .- On MONDAY, the 7th day of April.

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ing 50 feet on north H, between 13th and 14th streets west, running back 144 feet to a wide alley,

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